Oldest Weather Records The longest continuous weather rec-ords known are reports of the temrature and rainfall of New Bedford. Mass., from 1813.

Look Ahead.

The glorious thought is, after dark clouds comes bright sunshine, so we must look to the future for good times and drop the past.



TABLE WARE

adds much to the enjoyment of a good dinner, and we wish to call everybody's attention to the complete line which we are showing in solid or the best plated ware at priccs not often equaled for such high grade goods. An early inspection will disclose many bargains not easily duplicated.

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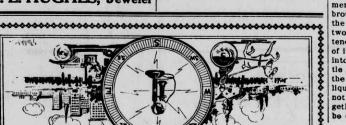
### **CURIOUS PITS** OF HISTORY

By A. W. MACY.

THE PEACOCK THRONE.

During the seventeenth century there stood in the audience room of the citadel of Delhi, India, what was prohably the most costly and beautiful throne of modern times. It was six feet high and four feet wide, was supported by six legs of solid gold, encrusted with gems. The body of the throne was inlaid with diamonds, emeralds and rubies. Behind the throne stood two peacocks, with wings outstretched and blazing with precious stones. On this account it was called "the peacock throne." It was valued all the way from ten to fifty million pounds; probably no one knew the exact value. In 1739 the city of Delhi was captured and sacked by the Persians, who rifled the public builders and temples of their treasures and carried them treasures and carried them away to their own country. Thus the rich throne and its costly ornaments fell into their hands, a prey to the fortunes

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To the east, the west, north and the call Quakeress of the old school. Her object in having one day leads to be a typical Quakeress of the old school. Her south the possibilities for a conversation with friends and business associates at a distance are endless if
you have a

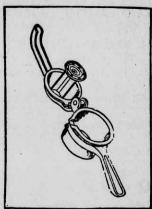
cal quakeress of the old school. Her object in having one day in each year set apart for mothers is because of her gratitude to her own mother. The second Sunday in May has been selected as mothers' day, and men and women. The second Sunday in May have pled as mothers' day, and men and women. The second Sunday in May have pled as mothers' day, and men and women. The second Sunday in May have been selected as mothers' day, and men and women. The second Sunday in May have pled as mothers' day, and men and women. The second Sunday in May have been selected as mothers' day, and men and women. The second Sunday in May have been selected as mothers' day, and men and women. The second Sunday in May have been selected as mothers' day, and men and women. The second Sunday in May have been selected as mothers' day, and men and women. The second Sunday in May have been selected as mothers' day, and men and women. The second Sunday in May have been selected as mothers' day, and men and women. The second Sunday in May have been selected as mothers' day, and men and women. The second Sunday in May have been selected as mothers' day, and men and women. The second Sunday in May have been selected as mothers' day, and men and women. you have a

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THE MOUNTAIN STATES TEL. AND TEL. COMPANY 

New Squeezing Device That Drains Lemon Dry and Keeps Seeds Out of Glass.

A squeezing device that will get all the juice out of a lemon and at the same time keep the seeds from getting in the lemonade has been designed by a New Jersey man. It is shown in the illustration and practically explains itself. The squeezer consists of two parts pivotally connected, one of them forming a cup and the other having a plunger fixed inside. A lemon or orange is cut in two and placed in



the cup, cut side down. The other member of the squeezer is then member of the squeezer is then brought over till the plunger rests on the fruit in the cup. By pressing the two handles together the fruit is flattened until every drop of juice is out of it, and the juice may then be poured into nitcher or giess through the lit. into pitcher or glass through the little lip which is seen on one side of the cup. The space through which the liquid flows is so small that a seed can not pass through, and the seeds to-gether with the skin of the lemon, can be dumped out afterward.

Originator of Mothers' Day. who have a mother will devote that one day to making her happy, those whose mothers are no longer on this earth will try to add to the happiness of some woman whose children have

Necessary Part of the Professional . Equipment, Without Which Suc-

cess is impossible.

"It has always been held that steady nerves are about the most valuable qualification a man can have to fit him for playing poker successfully, the gray-haired young looking man in the club smoking room said. "The man who allows himself to get rattled under any circumstances when he is playing is not likely to get the better of the other fellow. But if this is true now in New York it was more conspicuously and preeminently true some twenty or thirty years ago in some

other parts of the country. And espe-cially was it true with regard to pro-There is a widespread belief that a professional gambler will not hesitate to cheat at poker if he finds he is not likely to win a square game. if this is true here and now, as I be-lieve it to be, it has certainly been true at times and places in which public opinion tolerated if it did not approve killing the man who was caught cheating at cards. That is precisely what public opinion did in many parts of the United States not so many

years ago.
"All this being understood, it is easy to realize that the profession of card playing in the west called for the exercise of such nerves as the average man has not. He who adopted it was almost obliged to be skilled in the use of weapons, and as a matter of fact the most of the professionals were so skilled.

#### USE CARE WITH FERTILIZERS

Excellent Method Given for Utilizing Two Familiar Farm Products Apply Separately.

Both wood ashes and hen manure re farm products, and one supplies what the other lacks. The ashes contain potash, phosphoric acid and lime, while the hen manure is strong in nitrogen. It is the worst practice, however, to mix the two together be-fore using. The lime in the ashes will act to set the ammonia in the hen manure free. If this is done before the mixture is put in the soil the am-

monia will be lost. If, on the other hand, the hen maeral inches deep, and then the wood ashes spread and raked or harrowed in there will be no loss. The lime will still act to set the ammonia free, but, being in the soil, it will be safely held there for the crops. Thus the way to use hen manure and ashes is to apply them separately and work both into the soil.

GETS ALL OF THE JUICE GOOD NERVES OF GAMBLERS WANT TO LEARN TO MILK?

One Way In Which City People Pre for Their Vacations in the Country.

In the vacation literature that is distributed daily in one section of the upper west side, is a leaflet which urges every reader to prepare for country pleasures by learning to malk a cow, says the New York Times. Then follows the address of a cow that is willing to furnish practice for the neophyte. She is an amiable-lookthe neophyte. She is an amiable-looking animal tethered in a roomy stable. "Want to learn to milk?" asks the

cow's owner.

The visitor doesn't; she just wants

to find out if anybody else does.
"Sure!" says the owner. "Lots of em! Get my milking done for nothing nowadays. Somebody comes to practice three times a day. They'd come oftener if I'd let 'em. You see, one of the first things the real city folk do when they get into the coun-try for a week or two is to tackle a cow and a milk pail. This is accom plished surrounded by spectators. The farmer's family, anyhow, looks on, and maybe several city folks.

"There are unlimited ways in which a fellow can make a fool of himself, but he can achieve absolute idiocy easiest by milking a cow for the first time. Contrarywise, nothing gives a man's reputation for coolheadedness such a boost as to come through the ordeal creditably. Apparently a lot of New Yorkers have decided to make a name for themselves by milking a cow without being kicked over, for I have just rented another cow to ac-commodate all the people who want to learn."

Capons Pay Best.

A few years ago capons were sel-dom found on sale except in some of the more exclusive markets, in the largest cities. This was largely because poultry raisers have only in recent years learned that caponizing insures not only a higher price per pound for their fowls, but an increase in weight for each bird. A capon not infrequently attains a weight of from fourteen to sixteen pounds, or prac-tically twice that of the ordinary rooster of the same breed. And with other conditions similar the meat is always sweeter, always tender and usually just fat enough to make a good appearance and readily salable at from four to six cents a pound-above that of ordinary poultry.

Expensive Schooling. "Experience is the best teacher."
"Well, she ought to be; her teaching comes mighty high."

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A REMARKABLE BATTLE.

which was fought at Alesia, the ancient capital of Gaul, fifty-two years before the birth of Christ. Within the city and defending it was an army of 80,000 natives of Gaul. Sur-rounding the city and besieging it was a great Roman army un-der Julius Caesar. Encompass-ing this Roman army and haring this Roman army and harassing it on all sides was another army of Gauls, numbering nearly a quarter of a mililion. It was the Gauls' last
desperate stand in defense of
their country. If they lost this
city they lost everything. Day
after day the battle raged. The
imperial legions of Caesar
fought as soldiers do who have
never been defeated. The never been defeated. The Gauls fought with a despera-tion born of despair. But vast numbers and brute force could numbers and brute force could not prevail against Roman dis-cipline. The Gauls finally were routed with great slaughter and their stronghold captured. This victory was Caesar's greatest military triumph, but it was al-so his greatest shame; for he dragged the captive leader of the Gauls, Vercengetorix, in chains to complete his triumph. chains to complete his triumph. Vercengetorix was a splendid soldler and a knightly man, and all the brilliant deeds of Cae-sar, before or after, cannot erase this stain from his record.

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Do You Know

That to clean screens they should be scrubbed with gasoline, into which has been dipped a soft scrubbing brush, then varnished? That a slice of lemon put into the

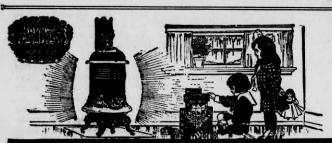
copper when boiling clothes will make copper when boiling clothes will make them beautifully white and will re-move all stains from handkerchiefs and children's clothes? Cut the lem-on with the rind into slices and allow it to remain in the boiler until the clothes are ready to come out. That a bit of reliable coloring placed in the water in which a tub frock is washed will restore its color and may

washed will restore its color and may be used with safety if it is properly rinsed and dried? This applies only to such gowns as are not trimmed with white or other colored trim-

# **To Our Patrons:**

We take pleasure in calling your attention to the fact that on November 1st, we will move our grocery stock into the new building, erected for us, two doors west of Postoffice on Eridge street. The new quarters is ideally fitted for the grocery business, enabling us to handle the trade even better than before. In leaving the old quarters we wish to thank all patrons of the past and solicit a continuance of your business.

## W. E. BROWN & SONS



### Warm Floors and Healthy Children Make Happy Homes

There is no better way for you to avoid worry and expense than by insuring your children's health.

Warm floors in the home, which is the children's play use in winter, are assured when using Cole's Original Hot Blast Heater.

The steel base and body construction allows the heat to be radiated to the floor keeping it warm during the coldest weather.

### Cole's Original Hot Blast Heater The Cleanest-Easiest to Care For

Burns Soft Coal, Lignite, Hard Coal, Crushed Coke, Wood and Cobs.

Users of coal must remember that the ordinary heater is a big care to operate. That its smoke and ashes entail dusting, curtain washing and carpet sweeping. Think then of the ease of operation and the cleanliness of Cole's Hot Blast.

Cole's Hot Blast has a guaranteed smoke-proof feed dooropen the feed door and the current of air draws the smoke directly across the top of stove to the stove pipeaway from directly across the top of stove to the stove pipe—away from the opening. Contrast this simple, cleanly feed with the side door in an ordinary heater. The side door used on other stoves permits escape of dirty smoke, unpleasant gas and accumulated soot drops from it. If you overfill a side door stove, coal falls to the floor. And note this, you cannot make a side door heater air-tight—an everlasting advantage in favor of Cole's Hot Blast which is air-tight and guaranteed

No fires to build—the fire is never out in this remarkable heater from fall until taken down in the spring.

Better select one today-surely it is the heater you need-

H. W. CURTIS



### ODD FUNCTION OF HOG'S LEG WAYS OF SERVING CHEESE

Escape Pipes for Discharge of Waste Matter Not Used in Economy of Body Placed There.

The hog's legs perform a function of known to any other animal, and that is an escape pipe or pipes for the discharge of waste matter or sweat not used in the economy of the body. These pipes are situated upon the inside of the legs, above and below the knees in the forelegs and above the gambrel joints in the hind legs, but in the latter they are very small and the functions are light. Upon the inside of the forelegs they are, in the healthy hog, always active, so that moisture is always there about and below these orifices or ducts in the healthy hog. The holes in the legs and breathing in the hog are his principal and only means of ejecting an excess of heat above normal, and when very warm the hog will open the mouth and the hog will open the mouth and breathe through that channel as well The horse can peras the nostrils. spire through all the pores of its be to a limited extent, but the hog never. His escape valves are confined to the orifices upon the inside of his legs. People often wonder why it is that hog dies so suddenly when runs rapidly or takes quick and violent exercise by fighting. But when you consider the few escape pipes, from the cavity where the heat is generated, the wonder is not that he he lives as long as he does when heated up.

What They Say.

Some women say they want to vote, Some others say they don't; Some men say we'll see them vote, Some others say we won't.

The Reason.

"In this play of yours," the critic complained, "you have violated all the rules governing dramatic art." "Yes, I know it," replied the play-

Price \$12.00 and Upward taccording to the reasons why it is having such a long run here and drawing better than the and Style

Some Suggestions for the Housekeep-er Who Wishes to Avoid Monotony.

The housekeeper who does not be lieve in monotony does not serve cheese in the same way two days in succession. A little planning will enable her to run three or four different kinds of cheese at the same time, keeping them all fresh by putting them in an airtight cold place.

As most cheeses spoil quickly it is well to buy in smaller portions, espe-cially in warm weather. Some cheeses are so perishable that grocers will not handle them in summer, and they should not be bought unless to be eaten at once.

The same kind of cheese may be served in various forms. Take the popular cream cheese, probably more used than any other one make. If you pass it out in squares one day, the next mix it in balls sprinkled with parsley; again mix with chopped pimolas; or thin slightly with whipped cream, mix with chopped red peppers, and remold into a flat thin cake, which

cream cheese separately, stir together into a mixture about the consistency

cheese balls are delicious served with plain lettuce and French dressing. Mix into the cheese chopped parsley, a dash of cayenne, a pinch of salt, and two drops of onion juice Mold into balls, dip in egg and bread crumbs, and fry in boiling lard before serving.

Another fried cheese with lettuce is nade of the English or ordinary American cheese cut in strips like French fried potatoes. Dip these in seasoned egg and bread crumbs and fry in deep fat when ready for use.

The Society Scale.
"Pa," said Freddy, "what is a social

scale?"
"Generally speaking," replied "it's a place where they weigh mon-ey."—Bohemian Magazine. Perfection a Rarity.

Some men are criticised because they wear side whiskers, yet no man on earth is within a hundred miles of being perfect.

### HOW TO PUT AWAY LEMONS

Simple Instructions by Which the Housekeeper Can Economize This Summer.

Lemons are an item that every house-wife can economize on this sum mer if they follow these instructions. Dip each one in melted paraffine and wrap in waxed paper. Lay away in a large glass jar or crock. The large, thin-skinned ones are to be preferred. as these can now be purchased for about one cent each, and, as you know, in the middle of the summer you are required to pay three times as much for not as good quality; an hour's time, ten cents' worth of parafine and five cents' worth of waxed paper will be considered money well spent if you now put away enough to last you through the hot spell.

When you wish to use them, all that will be necessary will be to dip them in fairly hot water and not only will the paraffine entirely come off, but the hot dip will also improve the lemon by making the extracting of the juice much easier and more complete.

Foretold in a Dream.

A fatal accident that was foretold in a dream was described yesterday at an inquest at Old Hill, near Birmingham, on the body of a miner named Benjamin Westwood, who was killed at the Fly Collier

His brother William said that on Tuesday night he had a dream, and in it he saw his brother killed. He add-"I did not go to work on Wednes day morning, for my dream made me so ill that I was unable to do any work since.

"In my dream I saw a considerable quantity of coal fall from the roof on to my brother, knock him down and kill him, and from what those who witnessed the accident have told me, my dream was fulfilled. I did not go to my brother's house to warn him, as I was too ill to leave home."—London Chronicle.

A Quicker Way.

Instead of filling the salt and pepper shakers with the tedious means of spoon, have made two small pane funnels for this purpose, which help wonderfully. The funnels are glued to make them firm.

### MERELY OBEYED THE RULES

How the Late Tom Johnson, in Early Life, Squirmed Out of Very Tight Place.

When the late Tom Johnson started in life he drove a horse car in Indianapolis.

one night there war a big storm of sleet and snow and the tracks were almost hidden, Johnson was on the night shift, and in the storm he drove his car two blocks beyon? a curve before he realized the car was off the

tracks and slipping along on the ice.

He tried to pull the car back and failed. Thereupon he unhitched the horses, drove them back to the barn and left the car where it was.

Next day the superintendent called him. "Here, Johnson," he said, "what do you mean by driving a car off the track and then leaving it in street?

"Why," Johnson replied, suavely, "that's in the rules for drivers and conductors."

"In the rules for drivers and con-ductors?" roared the superior roared the superintendent. Where, I'd like to know

"Certainly," replied Johnson. "It says always to be polite to passengers, Do you remember the kind of a night last night was? Well, there was a lady on my car who didn't have an umbrella and she lived two blocks from that curve. So I drove her home."—Saturday Evening Post.

Cream of Lettuce Soup.

Wash and remove the poor leaves from three heads of lettuce and place in the saucepan of a double boiler. Cook until the leaves are tender, then press them through a fine siev put back into the saucepan. Add one and a half pints of white stock and bring to a boll. Mix a tablespoonful of flour with a little milk and stir into the soup. When the soup is of a creamy consistency add a tablespoon-ful of butter and season with salt and

Spread the Good Work.

pepper.

When I find a thought for the top o' the morning tucked in, it is going to be used where it will do the most